

For Sale.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

HAVE FOR SALE
THE FOLLOWING
STORES.

York HAMS.
Roll BUTTER.
Topocan BUTTER.
French BUTTER.
Err's COCOA.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.
Picnic TONGUES.
MAKEREL in 5th Tins.
RAISINS and CURRANTS.
Crystallized FRUITS.

SAVORY & Moore's New Infant FOOD.
BARNES & Co.'s JAMS.
Poited MEATS.
PATE DE FOIS GRAS.
Swiss MILK.

BORDEN'S
CONDENSED MILK.
COOKING STOVES.

KEROSENE LAMPS.
WINES, &c.

GILBEY'S Sparkling SAUMUR, Pils. & Qls.
SACONNE'S MANZANILLA.
SACONNE'S Old Invalid PORT.
Old Bourbon WHISKY.
BURN'S Old Irish WHISKY.
Royal Glenae WHISKY.
MARSALE.

&c., &c., &c.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

OILMAN'S STORES,
at the
Lowest Possible Prices
FOR CASH.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.
Hongkong, February 10, 1886. 280

Intimations.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
THE OFFICE of the Undersigned has
This Day been REMOVED to Queen's
Road Central, opposite the Telegraph Co.'s
Office, in rear of No. 8.
G. RAYNAL.
Hongkong, May 3, 1886. 892

The Overland China Mail,
A WEEKLY JOURNAL.

IS PUBLISHED to suit the Departure
of each European and French Mail
Steamer for Europe. Formerly the Overland
issue was published fortnightly; but
as it was deemed of special importance
that a weekly budget of news should be prepared,
it was decided to issue it weekly. Sub-
scribers at Home, and those at the Coast
Ports and in the interior, who find the
Overland edition a convenient form of news-
paper for their personal, will welcome the
change. The Overland China Mail, now a
weekly compendium of news from the Far
East, contains special Commercial Intelli-
gence, special tables of Shipping, and other
information. The various Reports of Courts
and Meetings, and all other news, are given
in full as they appear in the Daily Press.
The attention of Advertisers is directed
to a weekly newspaper, which is circulated
among old China 'hands' and others, both
at home and in the Far East, who do not
take the daily journals.

The Overland China Mail will be regularly
posted from the China Mail Office to sub-
scribers, on their addresses being forwarded
to us.

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" Single Copy, 0.30.
China Mail Office, Hongkong.

To-day's Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions
to Sell by Public Auction, on
SATURDAY,
the 22nd May, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his
Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,
A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
JAPANESE WARE,
comprising—

SATSUMA, KORO, KANGA and TOKIO
VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, TEA and
COFFEE SETS, BRASS AND WAX, GOLD and
SILVER INLAID BRONZES, IVORY INLAID
PANELS, and EMBROIDERIES.

Also,
A FEW OLD ARTICLES,
brought by K. YAMAMOTO,
from Osaka.

SILVER and IVORY CABINET
WOOD CARVINGS, MARBLE, BRONZE,
VASES, PLATES and ORNAMENTS.
SWORDS and SWORD GUARDS.
EMBROIDERED CUSHION COVERS.
2 PAIR GOLD PAPER SCREENS.
NIPPONIA.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 996

To-day's Advertisements.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.
FOR YOKOHAMA.
The Steamship
Merionethshire,
W. H. DUTTON, Com'd'r,
will be despatched for the
above Port TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), at
Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 991

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR SHANGHAI.
(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-
CHWANG, TIENSIN, HANKOW and
Ports on the YANGTZE.)
The Co.'s Steamship
Agamemnon,
Captain WILSON, will be
despatched as above TO-
MORROW, the 20th instant, at 3 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 990

**INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LIMITED.**
FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW.
(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates
for CHEFOO, TIENSIN, NEW-
CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on
the YANGTZE.)
The Co.'s Steamship
Agamemnon,
Captain HONG, will be
despatched as above on
FRIDAY, the 21st instant, at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 998

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.
(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-
CHWANG, TIENSIN, HANKOW and
Ports on the YANGTZE.)
The Co.'s Steamship
Agamemnon,
Captain HONG, will be
despatched as above on
SATURDAY, the 22nd instant, at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 996

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.**
FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND
TAIWANFOO.
The Co.'s Chartered
Steamship
Carlsruhe,
Captain GALT, will be
despatched for the above Ports on SUN-
DAY, the 23rd instant, at 9 a.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 993

FOR YOKOHAMA.
The Steamship
Agamemnon,
S. M. Ous, Commander,
will be despatched for the
above Port on TUESDAY, the 24th inst.,
at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 992

TENDERS will be Received by the
Undersigned on or before the 1st
Proximo, at 2 p.m., for the SUPPLY and
Contract of such Quantities of TIMBER,
TIMBER MATERIALS, and SPARS of
various sizes, as may be required from time
to time by the NAVAL DEPARTMENT.
Full Particulars as to the descriptions
and Quantities likely to be required can be
obtained from the NAVAL STOREKEEPER.
The lowest or any Tender will not neces-
sarily be accepted.
W. H. LOBB,
Naval Storekeeper.
H. M. Naval Yard,
Hongkong, 19th May, 1886. 994

To-day's Advertisements.

**INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LIMITED.**
FOR TIENSIN VIA SWATOW.
The Co.'s Steamship
Pechili,
Captain PAYNE, will be
despatched as above on
or about the 27th instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, May 19, 1886. 989

SHIPPING.
ARRIVALS.
May 18 1886.
Peking, British steamer, 953, G. Heuer-
mann, Shanghai May 16, General.—STRE-
SS, & Co.
Vinda Bala, British steamer, 1,600, S.
N. Stuart, Java May 7, Sugar.—JARDINE,
MATHESON & Co.
Galle, British steamer, 2,690, W. G.
Pearce, San Francisco April 22, and Yokohama
May 13, Mails and General.—O. &
O. S. S. Co.
Bua Cano, Siamese barque, 358, G. M.
Sandahl, Bangkok April 10, General.—
CHINESE.
May 19—
Agamemnon, British steamer, 1,522,
Wideman, Liverpool March 27, General.—
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
Marcia, British steamer, from Whampoa.
Touanai, Chinese steamer, from Whampoa.
Albatross, British gun-vessel, 1,940, Com-
mander C. P. G. Hicks, Hoihow May 18.
Oppeh, British steamer, 1,720, John O.
Jacques, Saigon May 15, Rice and Paddy.
—ARMSTRONG, KARRIB & Co.
Bellevue, British steamer, 1,864, W.
E. Guthrie, Singapore May 13, General.—
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
Ta Hongkong, Siamese barque, 636, Smig-
low, Bangkok April 14, Planks.—ORDER.
Aurora, British barque, 269, Plattner,
Bangkok March 22, Rice.—DUN FONG TAY.

DEPARTURES.
May 19—
Peking, for Whampoa.
Mund Lohman, for Bangkok.
Gilead, for Wuhu.
Emerald, for Pakhoi.
Triton, for Saigon.
Mellor, for Hoihow.
Veloxy, for Whampoa.
Fero, for Whampoa.
Haplong, for Coast Ports.
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SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	POSITION PER LAST REPORT.	Last Dividend.	Closing Quotations.
BANKS.						
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	60,000	£12 1/2	12 1/2	£4,600,000 For equal million of £ 500,000	22 Div. & 10/100 to Dec. 31/85	188 1/2 prem., cash
INSURANCE.						
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	200 1/2	50	Tls. 812,639.35	Tls. 20 p. sh. for 1885	Tls. 300 per share
Yangtze Insurance Company, Ltd.	3,000	25 1/2	25 1/2	50,000 Tls.	3,000 Tls. for 1884	Tls. 120 " sellers
Union Assurance Society Co., Ltd.	10,000	250	250	575,000	439,089.41	331 p. sh. 84/86
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	83 3/4	25	600,000	200,773.71	18 1/2 p. ann. 87/8
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	250	50	155,000	405,214.43	10 1/2 " cash
Chinese Insurance Co., Limited.	1,000	1,000	200	23,711.50	2,868.89	6 1/2 for 1885
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	250	50	1,000,000	283,488.55	7 1/4 for 74/84
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100 1/2	25	566,700	228,811.67	6 for 1884
STEAMSHIP COMPANIES.						
H.K. O. and M. Steamship Co., Ltd.	8,000	100 1/2	75	300,000	34,522.0	8 1/2 half year Dec. 31/85
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited.	20,000	50 1/2	50	86,764.16	402.22	12 1/2 year end Aug. 1/86
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited.	18,387 1/2	10 1/2	10	—	117.16 1/2	3 1/2 for 1884
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	3,500	100	all	—	—	25 discount
MISCELLANEOUS.						
H.K. and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	10,000	125 1/2	125 1/2	18,000	6,551.58	7 1/2 half year
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited.	5,000	10 1/2	10 1/2	9,177.31	1,517.31	10 1/2 and 2 1/2 bonus for 1884
New Shikun	1,000	10 1/2	10 1/2	—	—	Old, 86
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	2,000	100	100	—	1,175.00	Old, 86
China Sugar Company, Limited.	1,000	100	50	—	13,451.51	None
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.	1,250	100 1/2	100 1/2	30,000	1,125.30	115 p. sh. 86/87
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	500	50 1/2	50 1/2	6,000	2,039.86	8 1/2 " ex div.
Leong Sagar Company, Limited.	7,000	100 1/2	100 1/2	—	1,084.52	5 1/2 " cash, ex div.
Perak Tin Mining & S'ing Co., Ltd.	6,000	50	all	—	—	55 " nominal
Selangor Tin Mining Co. (S'hai).	2,500	100	all	—	—	55 " nominal
Punjab and S'ingha Doo Saman	40,000	10 1/2	5	—	—	55 " nominal
Minning Co.	4,000	50	all	—	—	55 " nominal
H'kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	3,000	50	all	—	—	55 " nominal
H. M. S. S. Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	4,000	50	all	—	—	55 " nominal
GOVERNMENT.						
Chinese Imperial 1881	8,548 7/16	500	all	—	—	2 1/2 prem.
" " 1884	27,900	500	all	—	—	2 1/2 prem.
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" " 1884	31,185	500	all	—	—	2 1/2 prem.
Sugar Debit 1880	800	500	all	—	—	2 1/2 prem.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.
MAILS will close:—
For YOKOHAMA.—
For Merionethshire, at 11.30 a.m., on
Thursday, the 20th inst.
For SHANGHAI.—
For Agamemnon, at 2.30 p.m., on Thurs-
day, the 20th inst.
For BANGKOK.—
For Siam, at 4.30 p.m., on Thurs-
day, the 20th inst.
For SAIGON.—
For Siam, at 4.30 p.m., on Thurs-
day, the 20th inst.
For SWATOW AND SHANGHAI.—
For Peking, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,
the 21st inst.
For SINGAPORE.—
For James Watt, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday,
the 21st inst.
For TIMOR, PORT DARWIN, SYDNEY
AND MELBOURNE.—
For Whampoa, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday,
the 22nd inst.
For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.
For Thibet, at 6 p.m., on Saturday, the
22nd inst.
For YOKOHAMA.—
For Angerton, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday,
the 23rd inst.
For STRAITS AND BOMBAY.—
For Adana, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday,
the 23rd inst.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.
The British Contract Packet *Pekin*
will be despatched on THURSDAY, the
20th May, with Mails for the United
Kingdom, Europe, and countries be-
yond, via Brindisi, to the Straits Settle-
ments, Borneo, Ceylon, India, Aden,
Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.
The usual hours will be observed in closing
the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING.
THE ENGLISH MAIL.
The following hours are observed in closing
Mails, &c., by the British Contract
Packet:—
Day of Departure.—
Noon.—Money Order Office closes.
2 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases.
Posting of all printed matter and
patterns ceases.
3 P.M.—Mail closed, except for Late
Letters.
3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with
Late Fee of 10 cents until
3.30 P.M.—When the Post Office closes
entirely.
3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted
on board the packet with Late
Fee of 10 cents until time of
departure.

EXCHANGE.
HONGKONG, May 19.
Bank, Wire, ... 3/2
Demand, ... 3/2
30 days sight, ... 3/2
4 months sight, ... 3/2
Credit, ... 3/2
Documentary 1 month sight, ... 3/2
India, Wire, ... 25 1/2
Demand, ... 25 1/2
Shanghai, demand, ... 7 1/2
Gold Leaf 99 1/2 fine ... 830.70
Sovereigns, ... 86.08

General Post Office.
Hongkong, March 1, 1886.
No parcel for Germany can be received
unless it is sealed, and unless the net weight
of the articles forwarded, as well as the
gross weight of the parcel, is entered on the
Declaration of Contents.
The Fares on Local Packets will hence-
forth be 10 cents per lb., and on those for
the Straits Settlements, Ceylon, and India,
15 cents per lb., which rates will include
Registration fee.

ALFRED LOSTER,
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

Exchange.
HONGKONG, May 19.
Bank, Wire, ... 3/2
Demand, ... 3/2
30 days sight, ... 3/2
4 months sight, ... 3/2
Credit, ... 3/2
Documentary 1 month sight, ... 3/2
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SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Last Dividend	Closing Quotations, Cash.
22 div., & 10/100 bonus 4 years (to Dec. 31/85)	188 1/2 prem., cash
Tls. 20 p. sh. for 1884	Tls. 300 per share
34 for 1884	Tls. 120 " sellers
Dec. 31 1884	506 " "
531 p. alt. 84/86	506 " "
18 1/2 p. ann. 87/88	506 " "
10 1/2 " "	506 " cash
6 1/2 for 1885	107 per share
7 1/4 for 74/84	467 1/2 " cash
6 for 1884	24 p. sh., cash, ex div., b'ers
8 1/2 half year Dec. 31/85	814 prem., cash
12 1/2 year end Aug. 1/86	854, cash
3 1/2 for 1884	5 1/2 discount, cash
...	25 discount
7 1/2 half year 10 1/2 and 2 1/2 bonus for 1884	830 prem., cash, buyers
Old, 86	120 per share
New, 83	187 per share, cash
None	1121 " buyers
812	856 per share, cash
816	150 per share, buyers
3 1/2	120 " ex div.
...	874 " cash, ex div.
...	810 " "
...	85 " nominal
...	\$0 " cash
7 1/2	870 " cash, ex div.
...	Par, nominal
...	8 1/2 prem.
...	5 1/2 " "
...	7 1/2 prem.
...	1 1/2 prem.

Harbour.

To-day.		
divided into ten Sections, commencing at the long shore end, and those in the body of the wharf denoting the sections.		
Wharf to the Naval Yard, and to Blue Buildings to East Point, and to North Point.		
Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
re Co.	Bombay, &c. Shanghai	25th inst. To-morrow
& Co.	Yokohama	Laid up 25th inst.
p Co.	Y'hama & San Francisco	25th inst.
n & Co.	San Francisco	
p Co.	Saigon	To-morrow
p Co.	Amoy and Pansui	To-morrow
Co.	Coast Ports Singapore	To-morrow 21st inst.
Co.	Yokohama	To-morrow
k Co.	London, &c.	Patent Ship To-morrow
& Co.		Tug plying
re Co.	Bangkok	To-morrow
n & Co.	Singapore Yokohama & Kobe	To-day 22nd inst.
re Co.	Amoy	
re Co.	Sydney, &c.	Coast Dock
re Co.	Honolulu	
re Co.	San Francisco	
re Co.	Havre & London	
re Co.	London, &c. New York Honolulu	
re Co.	San Francisco New York	
re Co.	New York	
re Co.		
re Co.		
China Squadron.		
Captain.	Where at.	
under Chas. H. Hays	Hongkong	
Robert Hastings Harris	Shanghai	
A. T. Fowles	Yokohama	
L. O. Keppel	Nagasaki	
Com. H. H. Boteler	Foochow	
Raymour Dacres	Shanghai	
under Davis	Singapore	
Com. H. R. Adams	In reserve	
Com. D. L. Dickson	Port Hamilton	
J. E. Maclear	Shanghai	
M. J. Dunlop	Cruising	
under W. Marrack	Nagasaki	
Com. H. W. Matillard	Chefoo	
J. R. B. Robinson	Hongkong	
Com. A. M. Farquhar	Haiphong	
under W. U. Moore	Shanghai	
R. G. Kinahan	Hongkong	
under Dhadale	Hongkong	
under A. C. B. Bromley	Shanghai	
Com. Chas. K. Hope	In reserve	
Com. Chas. K. Hope	Hongkong	
Com. Chas. K. Hope	Port Hamilton	
Com. Chas. K. Hope	Hongkong	
Com. Chas. K. Hope	Singapore	
given according to H. M. Navy list		
Japan Station.		
Captain.	Where at.	
Commander Jonquieres	Saigon	
Tréve	Saigon	
Commander Noirot	Haiphong	
de Montesson	Yokohama	
Lemerout Mousaux	Yokohama	
Commander Foust	Haiphong	
Fequet	Saigon	
Duval	Haiphong	
Puech	Cruising	
Com. W. Harmande Pillar	Hongkong	
under Merrill Miller	Shanghai	
under F. J. Higginson	Canton	
under Molho	Corea	
under Rüger	Foochow	
Charles Spetzler	Shanghai	
Com. O. Belbridge	Yokohama	
under J. J. McInnes	Nagasaki	
Henson	Manila	
Com. Thomas Nelson	Chemulpo	
Commander Poldique	Haiphong	
M. Buge	Shanghai	
Pouchin	Vladivostok	
Com. Raphael d'Andrade	Hongkong	
Mayet	Kobe	
under W. Morin	Saigon	
under Southey	Shanghai	
under Boyle	Japan	
Avila	Macao	
R. L. Phytian	Yokohama	
Dupuis	Kagoshima	
Commander Lapeyre	Orfou	
Quidebrandt	Nagasaki	
under Bruchmank	Vladivostok	
2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong		